



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0721A  
Tadashi KOMOTO et al. : **Confirmation No. 6698**  
Serial No. 10/579,191 : Group Art Unit 1791  
Filed August 2, 2006 : Examiner Robert C. Dye  
RESIN COATING METHOD, INSERT : **Mail Stop: RCE**  
MOLDING, AND RESIN-COATED METAL  
GEARS

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 18, 2009, the time for responding thereto being extended for two months in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: